

(Practitioner's Docket No. IPAT-98897/BC1-0046)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
In re Application of
Grosse-Brinkhaus et al.

PATENT
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Serial No.: 10/521,343


Group Art Unit: 1714

Filed: January 7, 2005

Examiner: Sanders

For: AQUEOUS ELECTRODEPOSITION
PAINTS, USE THEREOF, IN METHODS
FOR COATING ELECTRICALLY
CONDUCTIVE SUBSTRATES AND USE
OF BISMUTH COMPOUNDS IN SAID
AQUEOUS ELECTRODEPOSITION
PAINTS

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence is
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Amendment Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria,
Virginia 22313-1450, on Friday, December 23, 2005 via
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Lori Bacon

AMENDMENT UNDER 37. CFR § 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action of August 23, 2005 wherein pending claims 1-17 were rejected and claim 18 was objected. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and/or remarks.

The shortened statutory period for response expired on November 23, 2005. Accordingly, a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time is attached hereto. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account 23-3425 the necessary extension fees identified in the attached Petition and any other fees necessary for entry of this amendment.

Please make the following amendments to the Application as set forth below.